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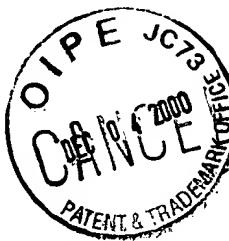
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Patent Application
of Elke Bucha *et al.*

Appln. No.: 09/417,534

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For: INTERACTIVE SYSTEM FOR
PRESENTING AND ELIMINATING
SUBSTANCES



: Group Art Unit 1641

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)

Applicant(s) in the above-identified application hereby petition(s) for a two-month extension of time to and including November 29, 2000 for responding to the Office Action mailed August 29, 2000. A response to the Office Action accompanies this Petition.

A check in the amount of \$ 195.00 is enclosed herewith.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1017 (**Billing No. 209282.0006**) as noted below. A duplicate copy is enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,

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